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HOUSE BILL 1171

**48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2007**

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AN ACT

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE VISITING SCHOLARS PROGRAM AT  
THE CHARLIE MORRISEY RESEARCH HALL FOR THE AFRICAN AMERICAN  
STUDIES PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. APPROPRIATION.--One hundred thousand dollars  
(\$100,000) is appropriated from the general fund to the board  
of regents of the university of New Mexico for expenditure in  
fiscal year 2008 and subsequent fiscal years for the Charlie  
Morrisey research hall for the African American studies program  
to fund the visiting scholars program. Visiting scholars will  
remain in residence for two years, with an option to extend  
their residency for one additional year. During their tenure,  
the scholars will participate in a lecture series at the  
African American performing arts center and exhibit hall,

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1     conduct research and teach courses in Africana studies. Any  
2     unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of a  
3     fiscal year shall not revert to the general fund.

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